

**SCDHEC OFFICE OF OCEAN AND COASTAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
PERMIT APPLICATION PUBLIC NOTICE**

July 25, 2008

Permit Number: OCRM-08-892-G
Permit ID: 63780

The SCDHEC Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management has received an application for a permit for the alteration of a critical area. This application was submitted pursuant to the Coastal Zone Management Act (Act 123) of the 1977 South Carolina General Assembly. The application, in brief, is described as follows:

APPLICANT: Beaufort County Engineering Department
C/o Timothy L. Vinson, Engineering Technician
SC Department of Natural Resources
PO Box 167
Columbia, SC 29202

LOCATION: On and adjacent to Ward Creek at Butch's Island Boat Ramp, St. Helena Island, Beaufort County, South Carolina.
TMS#: R300-019-000-0008-0000

WORK: The proposed work consists of bank excavation below mean high water to accommodate a 20' 6" x 116' (total length) reinforced concrete boat ramp (built over the existing ramp area) with associated rip-rap for side and front stabilization. The purpose of the project is to improve the Butch's Island public boat launch facilities, facilitate public access to navigable waters and provide shoreline erosion protection at the site. **PLEASE NOTE:** This project has been authorized under Nationwide Permit SAC-2008-1287 by the US Army Corps of Engineers.

This public notice is being distributed to all known interested persons and agencies to assist in developing facts on which a decision by OCRM can be based. Comments concerning the proposed work should be submitted in writing, setting forth sufficient detail to furnish a clear understanding of the reasons for support or opposition.

The decision to issue or deny a permit will be based on the individual merits of the application, the policies specified in the South Carolina Coastal Zone Management Act, and the considerations outlined in the State of South Carolina Coastal Zone Management Program. Interested parties who wish to be notified of final permit action must notify OCRM in writing of this request.

To assure review by OCRM, comments regarding this application must be received by OCRM on or before August 24, 2008. For further information please contact the project manager for this activity, Georgie Madlinger at 843-846-9400.

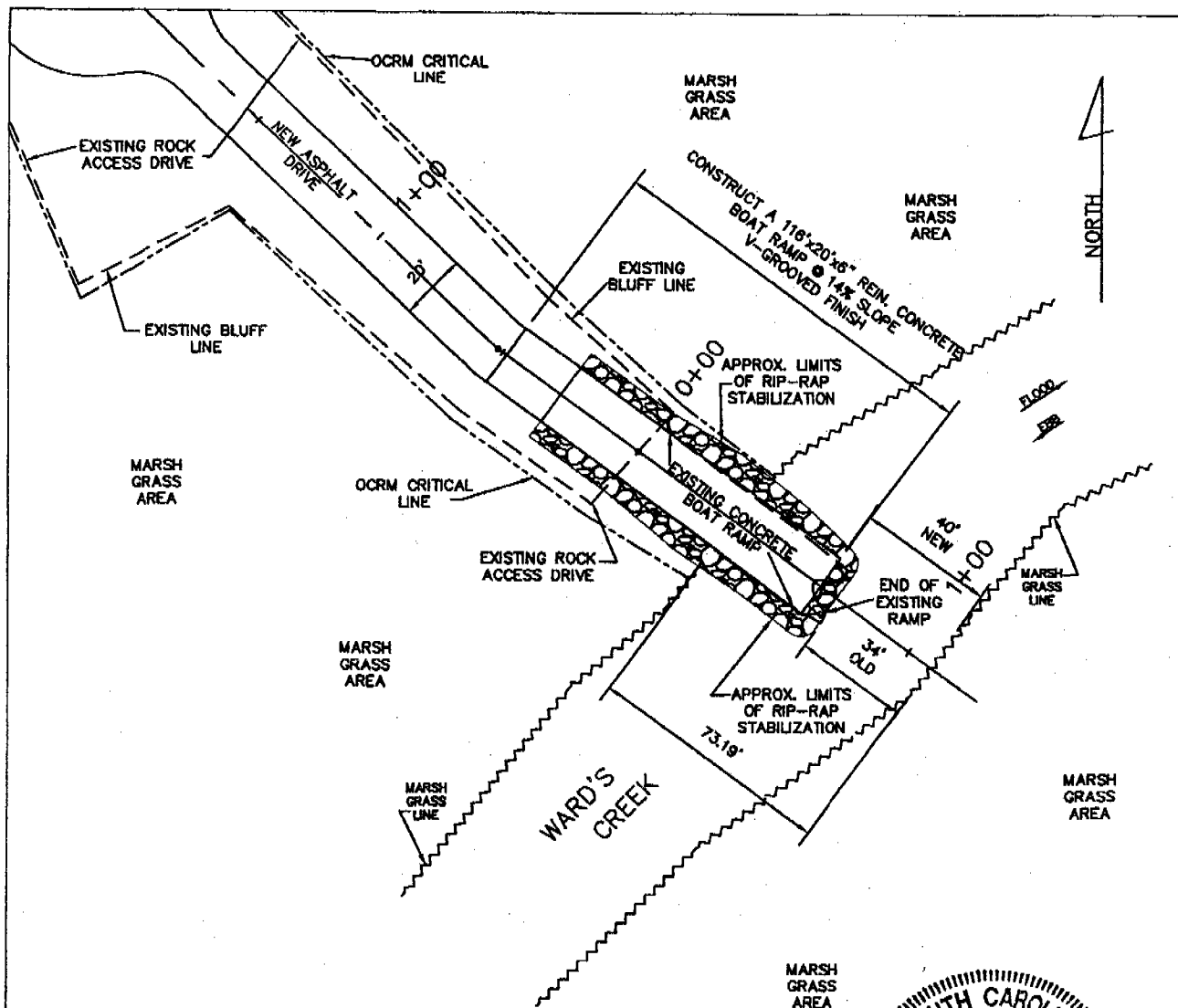
PLEASE REPLY TO:

SCDHEC OFFICE OF OCEAN AND COASTAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
104 Parker Drive
Beaufort, South Carolina 29906

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George J. Madlinger, Project Manager

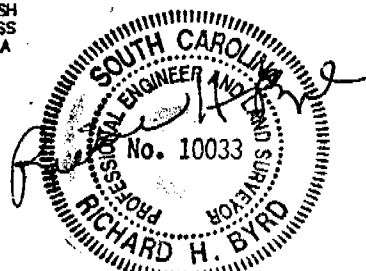


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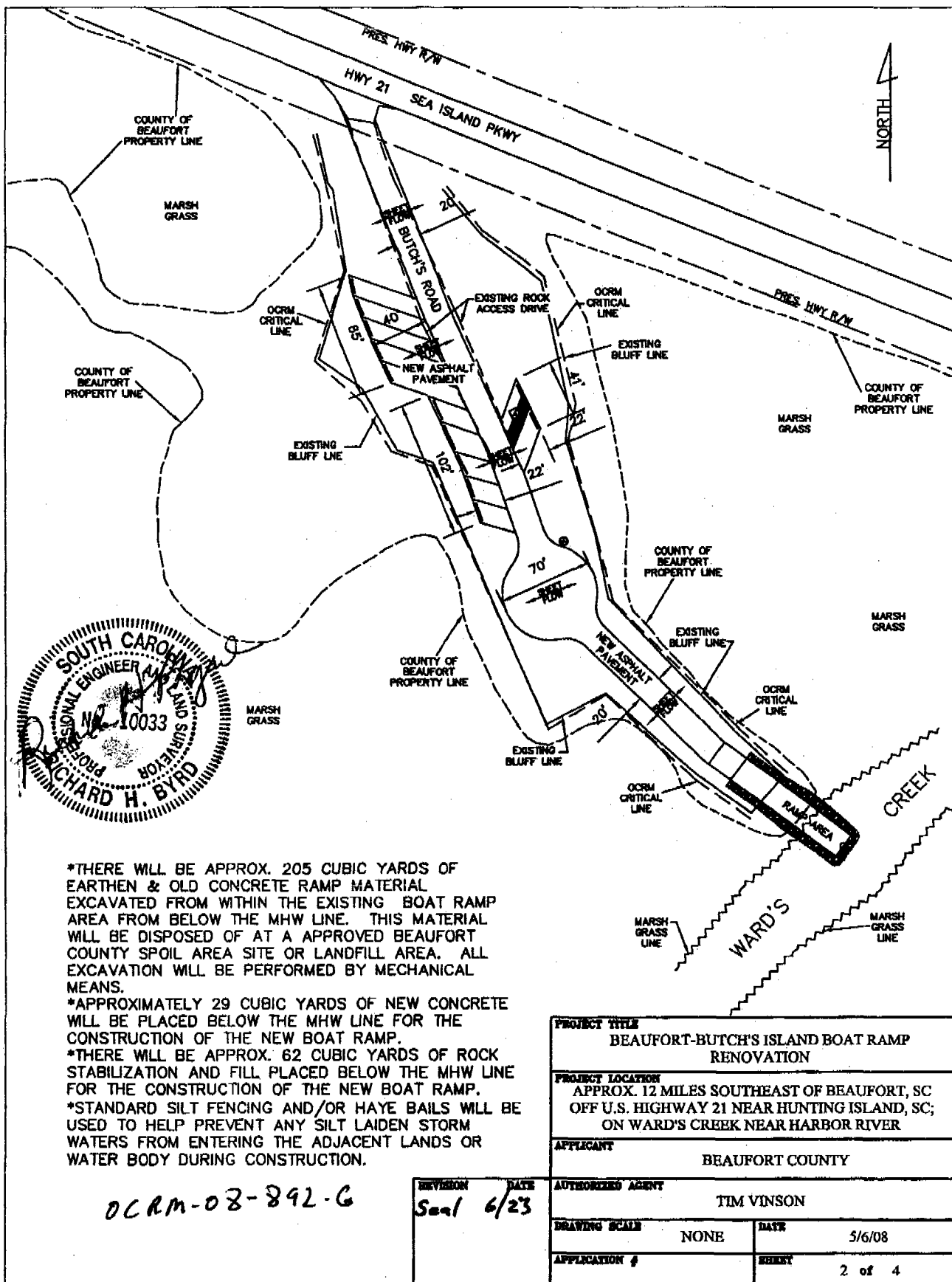
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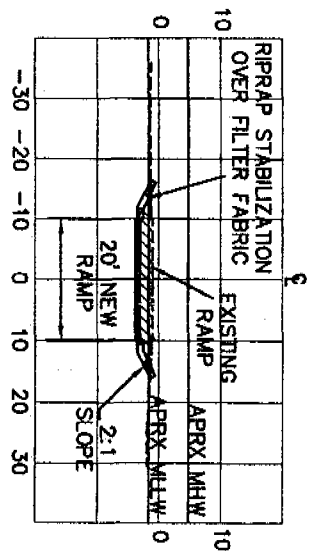
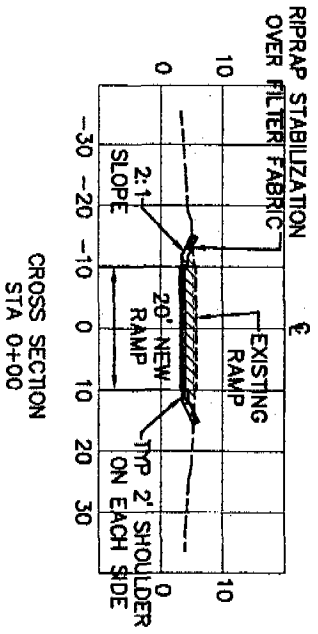
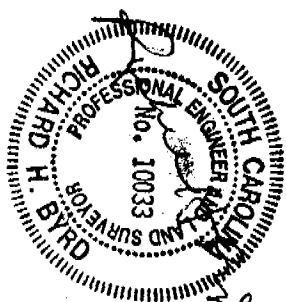
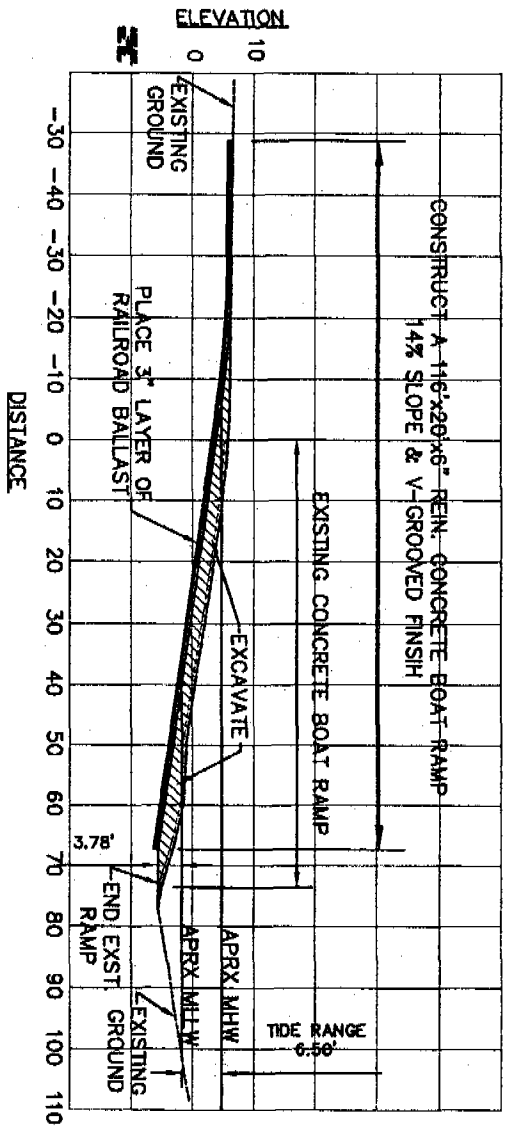


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APPLICANT	
BEAUFORT COUNTY	
AUTHORIZED AGENT	
TIM VINSON	
DRAWING SCALE	DATE
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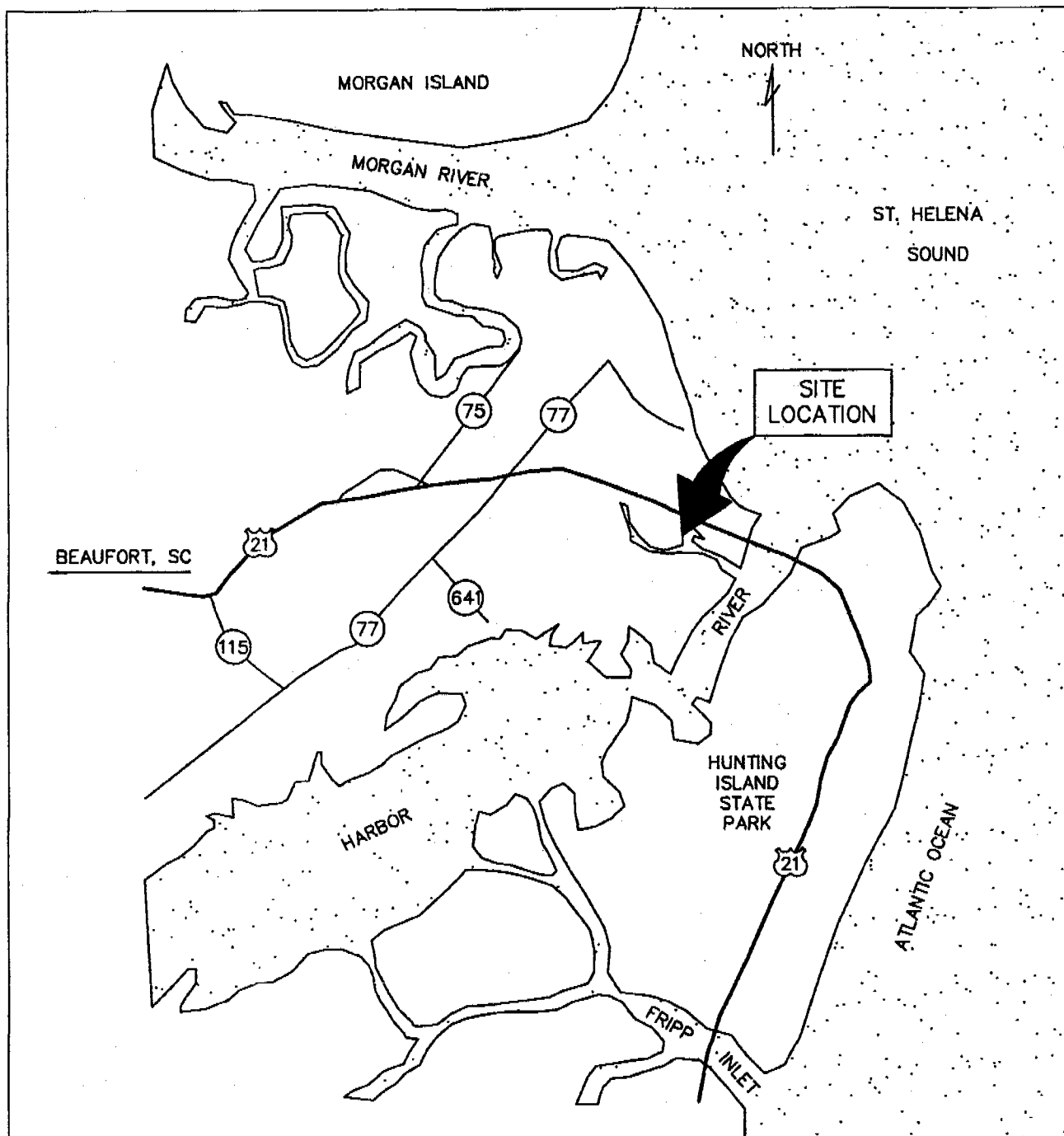
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